

The Cathedral Parish of St Joseph

Incorporating the worshipping communities of:
St Joseph's Cathedral, St Peter's, St Paul's (Gracemere) & Sacred Heart (Mount Morgan)

June 5th and 6th 2021
Corpus Christi



A Message from the Bishop

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Welcome to our Cathedral Parish. With best wishes to you and your family. May you enjoy being a part of the Cathedral Parish this weekend.

FOCUS by Fr Bill Senn

“Take and eat .. take and drink .. “

These words from the account of the Last Supper, friends, proclaim to us the essence of the Mass each time we gather as God's People to celebrate in Thanksgiving our faith in Christ the Lord! In these words, we hear an invitation from Jesus to share in this supper with him, to dine intimately with our Risen and Glorified Saviour!

We do this *in memory of him* until He returns at the end of time! In and through our Baptism we gather as the Body of Christ each Sunday to give thanks and to feast deeply from the springs of salvation, so that we can grow towards becoming a mature and confident disciple and missionary of Christ Jesus!

On this Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (also known as *Corpus Christi*) the Church invites us to reflect upon the supreme gift we have as Catholics ... the Holy Eucharist, the very Body and Blood of the Lord himself, of which we partake under the earthly signs of bread and wine. The Lord invites us to partake of this supreme gift of the Eucharist in order that we may become more fully the Body of Christ in and to the world, in which we live.

May we ever avail ourselves of the opportunity to ...*raise the cup of salvation, in the Lord's name ... ALLELUIA!!*



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Call between 9.00am -
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**If anointing is needed
urgently after hours, to contact
a priest, phone
07 3830 5216 where an operator
will take your message and
deliver it to a priest as soon as
possible. Please provide your
name, address and phone
number to avoid delay.**

Baptisms & Marriages

Bookings are made through the
Parish Office.

Advance notice and preparation
are required.

Baptisms are celebrated on the 2nd
& 4th Sunday of each month after
9.30am Mass.

Mass Times for this coming week

Monday 7th June

St Joseph's Cathedral 6:30am

Tuesday 8th June

St Joseph's Cathedral 5:30pm

Wednesday 9th June

St Joseph's Cathedral 12:10pm

Thursday 10th June

St Joseph's Cathedral 8:00am

Friday 11th June

The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus

St Joseph's Cathedral 12:10pm

Saturday 12th June

The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary

St Joseph's Cathedral 9:00am

St Joseph's Cathedral

9:30am - 10:30am

Confessions

Vigil Masses

Sacred Heart, Mt Morgan

4:00pm

St Joseph's Cathedral 6:00pm

Sunday 13th June

11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

St Joseph's Cathedral 6:30am

St Paul's, Gracemere 8:00am

St Joseph's Cathedral 9:30am

St Joseph's Cathedral 6:00pm

Ordinariate Masses

St Peter's Church, Allentown

Sunday 9:30am

Check out our website!

www.cposj.com

Parish Calendar for the Month of May

Sat 5 Jun

10:00 am Preparation for families preparing for baptism of their children
Celebration of the marriage of Jock & Jordan

Sun June 20

St Joseph's Cathedral - Wedding anniversaries mass

Sun 6 Jun

9:30 am Rite of Welcome for families preparing for baptism of their children

Tue 8 Jun

Cathedral Parish Finance Council
Confirmation at St Joseph's Cathedral

Fri 11 & Sat 12 Jun

TCC Musical 'The Addams Family' held at the Pilbeam Theatre

Thu June 17

Ordination to the Priesthood of Rev Ashwin Acharya

We pray for our brothers & sisters that have recently died

We pray for those who have recently passed into eternal life:

Loy Durkin, Jim Woodall, Piliopo Maiiai, Rita Anderson,

Joan Stevenson, Br Kevin Callaghan, Philomene McDonald,

Julie Beak, Owen Wildie, Marie Frawley & Maria McLaughlin

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Clergy Support Foundation Appeal

Thank you so much to those who donated to this worthy cause last weekend and all those who continue to give to our retired priests! All funds raised last weekend will contribute to providing accommodation, health support and any other services that allow dignity to our priests in retirement and poor health.

If you were unable to donate last weekend it isn't too late!

Clergy Support Foundation Appeal envelopes can still be located around the church or you can become an online doner by visiting the Diocesan website: <https://rok.catholic.net.au/donate>



*With Praise &
Thanksgiving to God*

Most Reverend Michael McCarthy DD
Bishop of Rockhampton

INVITES THE COMMUNITY OF THE
DIOCESE OF ROCKHAMPTON

to the Presbyteral Ordination of

Ashwin Emmanuel Acharya

Thursday 17th June, 11am
St Joseph's Cathedral, Rockhampton

Due to limited numbers, this event can only be attended
by ticket holders. All RSVPs should be done via the QR
Code or link below for each individual person.

RSVPs will close on Friday 11th June.



<http://bit.ly/AcharyaOrdination>

The event will be live streamed at the following link for
those unable to secure a ticket.

<https://www.youtube.com/user/StJosephsCathRton>

Stewardship Survey Still Available

We thank the many parishioners last weekend gave of their time to complete the stewardship survey mentioned at weekend masses last weekend. All the information we receive from these completed surveys helps in growing a strong future for our community.

If you missed out on completing the survey last weekend there is still time to complete it using the QR Code below!



It will match your spiritual gifts with ministries of the Church and a letter will be emailed to you in the coming days to inform you of the results. In the coming weeks, a member of the Parish will contact you and ask of you are ready to put your 'love into action' by becoming involved in a Parish ministry.

Register for this year's Diocesan Catholic Charismatic Renewal Conference

Feeling your faith is getting stagnant? Look no further than 'Hearts on Fire'! From Friday the 25th to Sunday the 27th of June, parishioners will have the opportunity to participate in a conference for all ages which promises songs of praise, teachings, prayer and fellowship.

This event is fully catered and includes two keynote speakers in Jan Heath and Bene Pupualii who both have incredible stories of mission and adventure to inspire attendees.

With sessions commencing from 6:00pm Friday the 25th of June and concluding Sunday 27th June at 11:30am, this event promises to be an action packed faith experience. Don't miss out on your chance to supercharge your faith. A registration form can be obtained by contacting those listed on the flyers and posters that are displayed around the Church and registration forms are also available in hard copy at the front of the Church.



ROCKHAMPTON CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

GALA CONCERT

WED 23 JUN @ 6.30PM | PILBEAM THEATRE

Be moved by the music performed by the students of the Rockhampton Catholic Schools' Instrumental Music Program. Compered by Angelo Conway this special event showcases the talents of students from Year 4 - Year 12.



The Cathedral College

Emmaus College

St Peter's Catholic Primary School

St Paul's Catholic Primary School

St Joseph's Catholic Primary School, Wandal

St Joseph's Catholic Primary School, Park Avenue

St Anthony's Catholic Primary School

St Mary's Catholic Primary School



Catholic Education
CELEBRATING 200 YEARS
Faith in the future

BOOK YOUR FREE TICKET TODAY

seeitlive.com.au | Booking fees will apply



Significant Wedding Anniversaries

*will be celebrated by
Bishop Michael McCarthy at the
9.30am Mass in
St Joseph's Cathedral on
Sunday the 20th of June 2021.*



Please **RSVP** before Sunday 13 June 2021 to Bishop's Office on
07 4887 3070 or bishopsoffice@rok.catholic.net.au

Also, Please **Register** for Mass on the Cathedral Parish of St Joseph
website via the following link:

<https://www.cposj.com/bookings-checkout/st-joseph-s-cathedral/book>



Xavier School of Mission Comes to Rocky

In exciting news, the Catholic Diocese of Rockhampton has Partnered with the Xavier Centre for Theological Formation to host a Xavier School of Mission right here in Rockhampton.

Held at the Duhig Centre from Sunday July 18th to Wednesday July 21st, the cost of this event including meals (excluding travel and accommodation) is completely covered by the Diocese!

During the event, participants will look at the building blocks of the mission, co-responsibility for the mission and a vision for the future. With all this good stuff being presented by an excellent line-up of speakers.

To register, check out the QR code below!



Ashwin Acharya Ordination Choir

Rehearsals will be held for Ashwin's ordination at St Joseph's Cathedral on the dates listed below. If you would like to sing in the choir it is essential that you are at both rehearsals. As this will be a ticketed event every member of the choir will be allocated a specific seat. On behalf of the Bishop's Liturgy Committee – Fr Andrew Hogan

Sunday 6 June 7pm
Sunday 13 June 7pm
Wednesday 16th June TBA

More Live Streamers Needed!

We are in need of a few more people to assist with live streaming. Please contact the Parish office so you can be trained for the 9:30am mass on Sunday.

Live streaming is a skill that can be picked up by anyone and is especially attractive on resumes of school leavers seeking work in media.

Palms Australia Needs You!

Share your skills to help develop the capacity of overseas organisations and the abilities of their people. Low-income communities seek sustainable solutions to poverty, not through money or gifts, but by building self-reliance. All trades and professions are called to assist this mission. [Enquire now](#) to properly prepare for a placement in 2022.



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St Vincent Pallotti Scholarship Trust

The St Vincent Pallotti Scholarship Trust offers scholarships to enable lay people to further their understanding and skills in leadership/ministry of a specialized activity, such as promoting faith enhancement, social justice and pastoral care.

More information and application forms and available on their website:

<https://pallottine.org.au/scholarships/st-vincent-pallotti-scholarship-for-lay-ministry.html>

Closing Date 30 July 2021

Corpus Christi Prayer

“Jesus, consume me with Your love as I consume You.

Teach me to be generous. Teach me to serve you as you deserve; to give and not to count the cost; to fight, and not to heed the wounds; to labour, and not seek to rest; to give of myself and not to ask for reward, except the reward of knowing that I am doing your will.”

St Ignatius of Loyola

Lourdes Hill College Reunion

All students who attended Lourdes hill College in 1966 – Year 8, 1967 – Year 9 , 1968 – Year 10, 1969 – Year 11 and 1970 – Year 12 are invited to attend the Reunion of the 1966-1970 Cohort on Saturday 16 October at Lourdes Hill College. For enquiries, please contact Maree Foley (Stanton) maree_foley@hotmail.com or events@lhc.qld.edu.au or phone Mary at LHC on 3399 0411.

Saint Teresa of Calcutta

“Spread love everywhere you go. Let no one ever come to you without leaving happier.”

This Weekend's Liturgy Readings

First Reading

Exodus 24:3-8

The importance of blood, shed for the good of others. Israelites give this gift to God from their own flocks and herds - an offering to life to God, the Lord of life.

Psalm

Responsorial Psalm 115:12-13, 15-18



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Second Reading

Hebrews 9:11-15

Unlike the multiple sacrifices in the past, the sacrifice of Jesus is a once-and-for-all sacrifice.

Gospel

Mark 14:12-16. 22-26

Mark's account of the Last Supper and the institution of Eucharist: an action whereby Jesus' gift of himself is made available in every age.

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